GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Minorities Welfare (SDM) Dept. - Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872 – Extension of tenure of Marriage Licenses to the Three (3) Pastors/Priests/Evangelists of West Godavari, Krishna and Bapatla Districts for a further period of Ten (10) Years - Orders – Issued.

MINORITIES WELFARE (SDM) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Ms. No.41 **Dated:02.04.2025**

Read the following:

Ref:- 1 Govt. Memo. No.2723/ ICM/A1/2007-1, dated.01.11.2007.
2. G. O. MS. No. 72, Minorities Welfare (SDM) Dept., dt. 20.11.2024.
3. From the Collector & District Magistrate, West Godavari District, Roc No. Magl/E-1935613/2024, Dated: 18.01.2025.
4. From the Collector & District Magistrate, Krishna District, File No. REV-4. CSEC0PUN(rec)17/2021-JA (C6)-KCO, Dated:18.02.2025.
5. From the Collector & District Magistrate, Bapatla District, File E.No.15643/2024, Dated:21.02.2025.

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O R D E R:

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 6 and 9 of the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872, the Government of Andhra Pradesh have issued orders for granting of Marriage Licenses to the following Three (3) Pastors/Priests/ Evangelists of West Godavari, Krishna and Bapatla Districts initially for a period of Three (3) years to solemnize marriages between Indian Christians and to issue Certificate of Marriage in accordance with the provisions said Act, within the territories comprising the State of Andhra Pradesh:

Sl. No	Name & address of Pastors/Priests/Evangelists	Working Church/ Belongs to	Earlier G.O. issued to the Licensee
1	Sri Bugge Adarana Kumar S/o Sri Vijaya Ratnam, Veerasavaram (V) & (M), West Godavari District.	Bible Mission Church at Veeravasaram (V & M).	G.O. Rt. No.79, Minorities Welfare (SDM) Department Dated:24.06.2021.
2	Sri Lella Immanuel, S/o. Sri Potha Raju, Poranki, Vignan Bharathi Publi c School Road, TVR Colony, Poranki, Vijayawada, Krishna District.	Beersheba Prayer House, Poranki	G.O. Rt. No.139, Minorities Welfare (SDM) Department Dated:06.09.2021.
3	Sri Karra Edward S/o. Daveedu, Yazali Village, Karlapalem Mandal, Bapatla District.	Rock Prardhana Mandiram, Yazali (V), Karlapalem (M).	G.O. Rt. No.79, Minorities Welfare (SDM) Department Dated:24.06.2021.

2. In the letters 3rd to 5th read above, the Collector & District Magistrates of West Godavari, Krishna and Bapatla Districts have submitted the proposals for extension of tenure of the above Three (3) Pastors/Priests/Evangelists of West Godavari, Krishna and Bapatla Districts along with Enquiry Reports/Credential Reports of Superintendent of Police of the concerned District, as their license period was expired and requested the Government for orders for renewal/extension of tenure of their Marriage License under Section 6 & 9 of the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872.

3. After careful examination of the proposals received from the Collector & District Magistrates of West Godavari, Krishna and Bapatla Districts in the references 3nd to 5th read above, the Government have considered the same in terms of the guidelines stipulated in the references 1st & 2nd read above, hereby extends the tenure of Marriage Licenses to solemnize the marriage between Indian Christians and to issue Certificate of Marriage in terms of section 6 and 9 of the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872 to the Three (3) Pastors/Priests/Evangelists of West Godavari, Krishna and Bapatla Districts for a further

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period of Ten (10) years as notified in the following Notification and accordingly order to publish the following notification in the next issue of Andhra Pradesh Gazette. The Certificates under Indian Christian Marriage License to the Three (3) Pastors/Priests/Evangelists of West Godavari, Krishna and Bapatla Districts are Annexured to this order.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 6 and 9 of the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872, the Government of Andhra Pradesh, hereby extends the tenure of Marriage Licenses to the following Three (3) Pastors/Priests/Evangelists of West Godavari, Krishna and Bapatla Districts for a further period of Ten (10) years to solemnize the marriage between Indian Christians and to issue Certificate of Marriage in accordance with provisions of the said Act, within the territories comprising the State of Andhra Pradesh:

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If, any violation of the existing Government rules/ guidelines by the Licensee and any disciplinary cases found against the licensee in future, the said Marriage License will be revoked.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

CHITTURI SRIDHAR
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To
The Commissioner of Printing & Stationery, Muthyalampadu, Satyanarayana Puram Po, Krishna District, Vijayawada-2 (2 copies) (for Publication in the Gazette and to send a copy of Gazette Notification to this Department)
The Commissioner, Minorities Welfare, Tadepalli, Guntur District.
The Managing Director, A.P. State Christian (Minorities) Finance Corporation, Tadepalli, Guntur District.
The Collector & District Magistrates of West Godavari, Krishna and Bapatla Districts (enclosed License and Caste Certificate in original (by Regd.post.)
The Individuals through the District Collectors concerned.
The Marriage Registrar through the Collectors concerned.
The Commissioner and Inspector General of Registrations and Stamps and the Registrar General of Births, Deaths and Marriages, Door No.5-59, R.K. Spring Vally, Edupugallu, Kankipadu (M), Vijayawada - 521151.
The Commissioner of Police/ Superintendent of Police concerned (through Collector).
The Revenue Divisional Officers concerned (through Collector).
The District Public Relation Officers concerned for taking necessary action. (through Collector).
The Mandal Revenue Officers concerned (through Collector).
Copy to:
The OSD to Hon'ble Minister for Minorities Welfare.
The OSD to Secretary to Government (MW).
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MINORITIES WELFARE (SDM) DEPARTMENT

(G.O. Ms. No.41, Minorities Welfare (SDM) Department, Dated:02.04.2025)

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